

April 21, 1995

Mr. E. Kraft
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SUBJECT: QUAD CITIES INITIAL EXAMINATION REPORT NO. 50-254/OL-95-01(DRS)

Dear Mr. Kraft:

During the week of March 20, 1995, Mr. R. L. Doornbos and others of this office administered initial license examinations to employees of your organization who operate and handle fuel at your Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station. Initial Reactor Operator (RO) license examinations were given to two operators, Senior Reactor Operator (SRO) examinations were given to five operators, and one Senior Reactor Operator Limited to Fuel Handling (LSRO) examination was given. At the conclusion of the examinations preliminary findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report. Final grading of examinations indicates all operators examined passed their respective examination.

Development, validation and administration of the initial license examination revealed several procedure weaknesses and two training weaknesses. These weaknesses are described in Enclosure 1, Report Details, Sections 3 and 4. One procedure weakness of particular concern involved control rod drive exercising practices. Operating practices may be in conflict with the procedure. This weakness has been referred to the NRC Senior Resident Inspector (SRI) at Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station for further review. One training weakness concerned the lack of, or ineffectiveness of, Out-Of-Service (OOS) training for the initial candidates, especially for the LSRO. The second training weakness indicated an unfamiliarity with the procedural requirements for handling blown fuses. This weakness was not only applicable to the initial candidates but also to the trainers involved with the initial candidate training. No written response to these items is required from this report.

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Should you have any questions concerning this examination, please contact us.

Sincerely,

original signed by T. M. Burdick/for
Mark A. Ring, Chief
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- Enclosures: 1. Examination Report
No. 50-254/OL-95-01
- 2. Facility Comments and
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- 3. Examination and
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